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YERKES, BRADLEY, LONG AND ERNST

Will Receive the Instructions
of District Convention.

The Anti-Deboe Men Claim They Will
Organize the Convention
Tomorrow.

WILL FARLEY PULLS OFF

The Republican district convention
which convenes tomorrow afternoon
at 1 o'clock at the city hall from pres-
ent indications, will surely be organized
by the anti-Deboe men. It will be
unanimous for Yerkes for member of
the national committee, and instruct
for Yerkes, Bradley, Ernst and Long
for delegates at large from the state
and for outspoken Yerkes men for dis-
trict delegates.

This will be the case no matter
which side wins, the anti-Deboe men
or the followers of the man from
Marion.

The only contest will be for Deboe's
job, chairman of the district. Mr.
Ed Miller of this city, is an aspirant
for the position, but as he can only
count on twelve votes it is conceded
by his friends that he has little
chance, if any, to win.

However, as the anti-Deboe men are
determined to have a change in the
chairmanship, there will be a fight on
and the outcome is a problem. It is
reported in some quarters that Mr.
Miller is off the track and his name
will not be presented to the conven-
tion.

There is no fight on in this district
between the friends of Mr. Yerkes
and Mr. Bradley. Everyone is com-
pelled to admit that they are both ele-
gant gentlemen, able leaders and the
greatest hope of the Republicans is
that they will be both honored, and
it is certain they will be both for
Roosevelt.

One claim made by the anti-Deboe
men is that in the absence of any con-
tests that the ever ready committee on
credentials will be out of a job. It is
a notable fact that this is the first time
in sixteen years that McCracken county's
delegation is not contested, as
there were no contests in the precinct
conventions and as the election of
Captain Williamson was made unani-
mous and every other question before
the convention was unanimous, it
will be rather hard to get up a contest.

Mr. Will Farley, realizing that
Mr. Roosevelt will be nominated on
the first ballot by a unanimous vote
and will not be in need of help, says
that while he sincerely appreciates
the compliment of having his home
county instruct for him, he will not
be a candidate as his business will not
permit his attending the Chicago con-
vention.

SOME INTERVIEWS.

Dr. Frank Boyd was approached
by a representative of The Sun, for
an opinion and says he is a friend of
both Mr. Yerkes and Bradley and is
for both of them for anything they
desire. That he believes they will be
together at the state convention.

Captain J. E. Williamson said he
believes in honesty in politics as
well as in business. He believes a
new era has dawned upon the Repub-
lican party. He sees the clouds roll-
ing by and feels that Kentucky will
be counted in the Republican column
this year. He is glad to see Sappism
and kindred isms defeated and is a
warm friend of both Mr. Bradley and
Mr. Yerkes.

Mr. Jerry Porter, of the county of
Hickman, is in the city to attend the
convention. He is against Deboeism,
is a warm friend of both Mr. Bradley
and Mr. Yerkes. He says Mr. Brad-
ley is not, as far as he knows, a can-
didate for a member of the national
committee, but that this strife is be-
ing stirred up by the office seeking
contingent to further their own self-
ish ends. He believes that with the
certain fight and split that will take
place at the St. Louis Democratic na-
tional convention, that a new party
will be launched by the defeated party
and that Mr. Roosevelt will be elect-

TWO FIREMEN WERE KILLED BY WALLS

Soap Factory in New York Gut-
ted by Flames.

Panama Commissioners Return From
the Canal Zone—World's Fair
Opening Big Holiday.

ALSO DAY OF THANKSGIVING

New York, April 27—A falling
wall at the Stanley soap works which
was gutted by fire this morning buried
two firemen and seriously injured an-
other. The men are yet under the
walls, and are undoubtedly dead.

PANAMA COMMISSIONERS RE- TURN.

New York, April 27—The U. S.
Panama commissioners arrived today
from Colon, aboard the steamer Yuca-
tan after an inspection of the canal
zone. They reported that they accom-
plished the object of their visit, which
was the general inspection of the phys-
ical features of the canal zone.

STOCK OPENS FIRM.
New York, April 27—The stock
market opened firm and fractionally
higher on strong London cables.

After the first fifteen minutes trad-
ers attacked the U. S. steel preferred,
lowering it over a point.

WORLD'S FAIR OPENING.

St. Louis, April 27—Governor
Dockery will proclaim Saturday the
opening day of the fair, a day of
thanksgiving throughout the state,
making it also a general holiday.

Everything is in fairly good shape for
the opening.

ed by the largest majority of any man
who ever ran for president.

Captain Ed Farley was also inter-
viewed and says he is for the best in-
terest of the party at all times. He
believes that the first district conven-
tion will be organized by the anti-De-
boe delegates. He is a great admirer of
both Mr. Yerkes and Mr. Bradley and
both are his personal and politi-
cal friends. He says the defeat of
Sapp in Louisville will be more bene-
ficial to the party than anything that
has ever happened to the party in the
state and is a sure sign of Republican
victory.

Postmaster F. M. Fisher says he
has no slate. He wants the delegates
to elect their own officers. He has
always been an admirer and
follower of Mr. Yerkes, was one of
the first men in the state to ask him
to run for governor. He was for him
for commissioner of internal revenue
and counts him one of his closest per-
sonal and political friends in the
state. He is also appreciative of the
ability of Governor Bradley and says
the obligation due him cannot, nor
will not be denied, by even his bit-
terest enemies. A more capable man
cannot be found in either party in the
state and he is in earnest in his advo-
cacy of him as a delegate from the
state at large as he says there is no one
who will better serve the party than he.

A SOAP MAN

TAKES OUT A WARRANT FOR
OWNER OF A VIOLENT DOG.

D. L. O'Brien, a drummer employ-
ed to advertise for a soap company
was bitten by a cur dog this morning
and immediately took out a warrant
against the owner for harboring a
vicious dog.

The dog is owned by Mrs. Force,
of near the L. C. depot, and Mr.
O'Brien had gone into her yard to de-
liver some samples of soap when the
dog grabbed him on the right leg and
bit a large wound in his leg. He
threatened to kill the dog and the
owner threatened prosecution. He
resorted to the law and Mrs. Force
will have to answer for harboring a
vicious dog and also for keeping a dog
without a license.

Mr. Gardner Gilbert went to
Princeton today on business.

AWFUL SLAUGHTER OF THE JAPANESE

4,000 SOLDIERS PERISH ON FOUR TRANSPORTS SUNK BY RUSSIA.

A BATTLE ON THE YALU REPORTED IN WHICH JAPANESE WERE ROUTED AND KILLED.

ENGLAND HAS NO DESIRE TO MEDDLE

Paris, April 27—The St. Petersburg
correspondent of the Matin says:

"I learn from a sure source that the
Vladivostok squadron yesterday sank
four Japanese transports which were
convoying 40,000 men."

JAPANESE ATTEMPT FRU- STRATED.

New York, April 27—Dispatches indi-
cate that a battle has taken place on
the Yalu. St. Petersburg briefly re-
ported that a Japanese attempt to
cross the river had been frustrated.

A dispatch from Cronstadt told of a
report there that a stranger had at-
tempted to destroy the new battleship
Alexander III. with a bomb and being
detected had hanged himself. His
identity is unrevealed.

In a dispatch from Won Son, came
additional details of the attack on that
place by the Vladivostok squadron.
Kobe advises hinted that a Japanese
fleet may attempt to cut off the giant
Russian cruisers when they return to-
ward Vladivostok.

ENGLISH KEEPING HANDS OF.
London, April 27—Inquiries made
by the Associated Press here reveal
no traces of any effort or intention to
intervene in the Russo-Japanese war.
No step looking to a pacific settlement
of the conflict has been taken by the
foreign office, nor, so far as known in
Downing street, by King Edward
himself. Those who have discussed the
war with the king within the last
few days say that such a step is the
last thing he contemplates.

JAPANESE DESTROYED.

St. Petersburg, April 27—The Liao
Vang correspondent of the Novosti
wires that the Japanese forced a pas-
sage at the Yalu in two detachments
between Chang Jee and Sion Pusik,
and heavy firing has been heard. It is
probable the Japanese detachment
that crossed the river were destroyed.
No pontoons, he concludes, have yet
been built.

MANY HANGINGS.

St. Petersburg, April 27—Siberian
papers state that two hundred Jap-
anese have reached Manchuria dis-
guised. Their purpose in crossing into
this section was to destroy the rail-
way. Several are reported captured.
It is also reported that Chinamen dis-
covered tampering with the rails were
hanged.

SKIRMISH ON YALU.

Seoul, April 27—Word has reached
here of an engagement between the
Russian and Japanese scouts near
the mouth of the Yalu Friday. The
skirmish was without a decisive ter-
mination. Both sides withdrew carry-
ing off their wounded. The Russians
are said to have lost two officers.

MINES RUNNING WELL.

Seoul, April 27.—The uninterrupted
operation of American mines at Unsan
and the British at Sunsan is assured
while the Japanese are paramount.
The German steamer Amige arrived
at Chonmupo with a billion from the
American mines.

RUSSIAN SHIPS SIGHTED.

London, April 27—The Kobe, Japan,
correspondent of the St. James Ga-
zette, wires that several vessels be-
lieved to be Russians, have been
sighted off Gensan, east of the coast
of Korea today.

A \$150,000 BLAZE.

Brainard, Minn., April 27.—Fire
this morning destroyed the greater
part of the business section of the
town. The loss is one hundred and
fifty thousand.

OLNEY FORCES DEFEAT THE MILLIONAIRE IN MASSA- CHUSETTS.

Boston, April 27.—The Olney forces

THE ENGINEER WAS DEAD AT HIS POST

500 PASSENGERS ON FERRY BOAT HAVE NARROW ESCAPE.

"Mrs. Wiggs" Arrested at Louis-
ville—One Killed in Ohio
Wreck.

BANDIT'S SISTER IS CRAZY

LAWRENCE LEAVES CITY TODAY

New York, April 27—Engineer
Charles Kelley, on the ferryboat
America, between Manhattan and
Brooklyn, dropped dead from apoplexy
last night as the steamer was nearing
her slip. The pilot's signals were un-
answered and the ferry crashed into
the bulkhead, wrecking the ladies' cabin
and endangering the lives of about
500 passengers who were aboard
the boat. Several passengers were in-
jured and there was a panic aboard
but no fatalities resulted. The dead
engineer's hand still grasped the
throttle when he was found.

MRS. WIGGS' ARRESTED.

Louisville, Ky., April 27—Mrs.
Mary Bass, the original of "Mrs.
Wiggs, of the Cabbage Patch," was
arrested today for throwing slop on
Mrs. Emily Smith, who claimed she
went there through charity. Mrs.
Wiggs says she is tired having count-
less people visiting her every day
through curiosity, which is the case
"ever since that book was wrote."
The case was left open until Friday.

KILLED IN WRECK.

Chillicothe, O., April 27—A wreck
on the Norfolk and Western yesterday
resulted in the death of Charles S.
Shumaker, of Lancaster, O., and the
injury of Mrs. Sarah Jessup, Dayton
O., will die. J. W. Wright, Huntington,
West Va., Elmer Prendergrass,
Waverly, O.; Dr. T. R. Levan, Columbus,
O. Only Mrs. Jessup is seri-
ously hurt.

MAY CHANGE MEMORIAL DAY.

Atlanta, Ga., April 27—An effort
was started here yesterday by Judge
John W. Akin to change the date of
memorial day from April 26 to June 3,
the latter being Jefferson Davis' birth-
day, as well as a season of the year
regarded as more propitious for
memorial exercises.

MOTHER JONES BREAKS OUT.

Price, Utah, April 27—Mother
Jones, who is in quarantine because
she visited a miner sick from small-
pox, broke out of quarantine and
came to town. She was placed in
jail, and it is feared has subjected
several hundred people to the infec-
tion.

SISTER GOES CRAZY.

Chicago, Ill., April 27—Hattie
Marx, sister of Gustav Marx, the
bandit buried here last Friday for the
car barn murder, has brooded over the
execution until she has gone crazy.
She imagines her brother is still alive
and goes about looking for him.

BIG POISONING

ENGINE EXPLODES

INJURING THREE MEN ON THE B. & O. RAILWAY.

Pittsburg, April 27.—An engine on
the B. & O. R. R. exploded at Brad-
dock this morning fatally injuring
three men and seriously injuring three
others. Five buildings were also
wrecked and two of them set on fire.

J. FRANK HANLY

Indianapolis, Ind., April 27.—Hon.
J. Frank Hanly was nominated for
Governor by the Republican conven-
tion today on the first ballot, and
Thomas Miller for Lieutenant Gov-
ernor, on the third ballot.

WANTS A NAVY

Constantinople, April 27—A large
naval construction program was sub-
mitted to the sultan yesterday. The
plans include proposals for iron clad,
cruisers and torpedo boats.

MASON CITY, IA.—JUDGE SMITH SENTENCED MARTIN WESCOTT TO FIVE YEARS IN THE ANAMOSA PENITENTIARY FOR KILLING GEORGE LOGUE.

JOLLY JACKIES WERE ENTERTAINED

About Fifty Had Shore Leave
and Enjoyed it Greatly.

Captain Proctor Entertained Inform-
ally at the Palmer House at the
Same Time.

LAWRENCE LEAVES CITY TODAY

About fifty of the sailors of the de-
stroyer Lawrence were given shore
leave last evening, and by dark the
city seemed to be alive with them.
They went in pairs, trios and quar-
tets, and seemed to like to walk about.
Some of the sturdy jackies walked all
over the city without minding it a
bit. In fact they seemed to like it.
It is always a sort of holiday for them
to get on dry land.

Early in the evening they were
given a dutch lunch at Elks hall. In
addition to the forty or fifty sailors,
there were perhaps fifty or seventy-
five citizens present to see that they
had a good time. The preparations
were not elaborate but they were ade-
quate. A nice lunch was served, there
were refreshments and cigars and they
all had a good time. In fact they had
about all they wanted of everything
and departed highly pleased with Pa-
ducah hospitality.

Captain Proctor was at the same
time informally entertained in the
Palmer House Grill room. The hand-
some young officer is a Frankfort,
Ky., boy, and his father was a friend
of Hon. Charles Reed, of the Palmer
house.

The gathering was small but select,
those present besides the officer being
Hon. Charles Reed, Major J. H.
Ashcraft, Captain Saunders A. Fowler
and Mr. George C. Wallace.
Today many visitors have been
going over to the vessel but they all
had to go in skiffs. No other means
was found to take them, there being
no way to land her near the shore and<br

THE STREET PAVING TO BE DISCUSSED

Board of Public Works Holds
Regular Meeting Tonight.

It Is Curtailing the Street Expenses—
Dirt Has Been Costing a
Great Deal.

MANY MATTERS TO COME UP

The regular meeting of the board of public works takes place this evening at the city hall, and a number of things are to come up. One thing is the selection of the streets to be paved out of the bond issue. It is anticipated that this will come in for an unusual amount of discussion. There is strong objection on the part of a number of property owners to having the street paved on which they own property, no matter how much the street needs it, because they must pay half the costs. The board will probably pay no attention to such protests.

The city's street account is being perceptibly out down. The board discovered that it was costing the city 92 cents a load for dirt that was being hauled to the tan yard fill, and immediately stopped it. They claimed the extravagance was unjustified.

It is also understood that it was costing the city from 50 cents to a dollar, for every load of dirt taken from the gutters and by scraping the streets and hauled away, and the board will not allow it to cost more than about thirty cents a load hereafter.

Tonight a number of things such as placing more fire hydrants on Broadway and passing on a number of matters referred to it by the legislative boards, will be considered.

FULTON MAN

IS VERY ILL FROM STROKE OR
PARALYSIS AT FULTON.

Mr. J. M. Browder, aged 69, a prominent resident of Fulton formerly a well known farmer of near Fulton, is dangerously ill from paralysis at Fulton. He has been quite ill until yesterday when he had in addition a stroke of paralysis.

Mr. Browder has been suffering with a diseased right foot for many years, which he injured by a fall and it never healed until a few months ago and the pain went to his lungs afterwards.

He was injured while sawing a rafter off a barn and was on the end that he severed and fell to the ground many feet below. He is considered a very eccentric man, and last year purchased his coffin and had his vault built at Palestine cemetery. He thinks his time has come now and wants to go and is very positive that he will not recover. He has accumulated considerable wealth, and he and his wife were preparing to enjoy it by moving to Fulton recently, when he was taken ill.

Galveston, Tex.—The dead body of F. E. Engler, superintendent of the Texas City company, has been found across the bay, three miles from Galveston. He was evidently murdered and robbed.

MANY WEDDINGS

Marriage of Miss Robiou and
Mr. Ford Tomorrow.

Miss Mooney and Mr. Meek Married
Last Night—Other Happy Couples.

The marriage of Miss Lucy Robiou, of this city, and Mr. Oliver Jackson Ford, of Richmond, Va., will take place at Grace Episcopal church tomorrow morning at 11:15 o'clock. Rev. M. M. Benton, archdeacon of the diocese of Kentucky, will perform the ceremony.

Miss Beatrice Mooney and Mr. Adolph Meek were married last night at 8:30 o'clock at the residence of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Mooney, Rev. T. J. Newell, of the Broadway Methodist church performed the ceremony. The bride is an attractive young lady and the groom is a popular young man of Marshall county.

Miss Bertha McCullom, of Wilder-ville, Tenn., and Mr. John Doyle, an N. C. and St. L. conductor between Lexington, Tenn., and Memphis, were married last Sunday at Wilder-ville. It was reported that the couple was secretly married several weeks ago, but this was a mistake. They will reside in Lexington.

Miss Jennie Garrett and Mr. Ed Hill, of this city, were married at Cairo yesterday at the Stegala hotel. Rev. Mr. Sickels performed the ceremony. Both are popular young people. They returned here yesterday afternoon, and were entertained last night by Mrs. Charles Denker, at Ninth and Clark streets.

PETITION DENIED.

"FUTURE CITY" CANNOT IN-
CORPORATE AT CAIRO.

For the eighth time a petition to incorporate Future City was denied by Judge Dewey at Cairo yesterday, and the decision of the court is to the effect that Future City cannot incorporate and shut Cairo off from a northern outlet and prevent the growth of the city in that direction.

The reason given for the decision is that no village can incorporate within three miles of another village or city as the state law gives a city jurisdiction in certain cases to a limit of one mile and to create another adjoining corporation would cause a conflict of authority.

GOES TO FRANKFORT.

SHERIFF POTTER EXPECTS TO
LEAVE THIS EVENING.

Sheriff Lee D. Potter stated this morning that he would probably leave tonight for Frankfort with the three negro women recently convicted in circuit court, and with the one white boy for the reform school at Lexington. These prisoners were left here until after the bulk of the prisoners convicted at the last term of court were taken to Eddyville. The sheriff will be accompanied by Justice J. H. Burnett and Deputy Sheriff William Lydon.

Captain Harry Brown has bought the wreck of the Edgar Cherry.

WAS SUCCESSFUL DESPITE WEATHER

Next Interstate Reunion to be
at Marion, Ill.

Paducah Could Have Secured it But
Did Not Want it On Account of
the Street Paving.

DEAN'S BAND WINS PRIZE

A delegation of about fifty-four Paducah Odd Fellows went to Carbondale yesterday to attend the interstate meeting, carrying Dean's band. The weather prevented a full attendance from Paducah, but by the time the special train reached Carbondale, it was well filled and something like 65 lodges were represented. Delegates from Kentucky, Tennessee, Missouri, Illinois and Arkansas were in attendance and the meeting was a success notwithstanding the inclement weather.

The local delegation left at 7 o'clock and arrived in Carbondale about 11. An inspection was made at noon and the lodges and bands dispersed until 3 o'clock when the drill and band contests were held. There were several bands in Carbondale but only the Cartersville, Ill., and Paducah bands competed. The Cartersville boys won on appearance, having new uniforms, but the judges agreed that the musical rendition of the Paducah band was far superior to the Cartersville band.

There were degree work contents held after supper but only a few of the local delegates remained over. They are expected here tonight and the result of these contests will not be known until then.

The train left Carbondale on its return at 6 o'clock, arriving in Paducah at 10:30. The next meeting will be held on April 26 at Marion, Ill.

The Paducah delegates were urged to take the meeting but declined on account of the condition the streets will be in. Cairo and Metropolis wanted the meeting but Cairo did not push her claim.

DUE TODAY.

SAND COMPANY OFFICIALS
CLAIM THE EVANSVILLE
BOAT WILL ARRIVE.

It was stated this morning that the sand dredger recently sent out of Evansville for Paducah, will get here today. The boat was leased by the Paducah Sand and Gravel Co., and the owners contracted to deliver it here today, at the latest. The boat was sent away from Evansville last Saturday, but the winds and bad weather delayed it. An attempt was made to secure a Cairo boat, but the owners would not send it here. The local firm is waiting for the Evansville boat to come and will begin pumping sand immediately on its arrival.

BURIED AT NATCHES.

A message received here stated that the remains of Prof. Charles Davis, were taken to his former home in Natches, Miss., from Huntsville, Ala., where he died, for burial.

LAX-FOS For the Kidney's, Liver and Stomach.

CONSUMED BY A FIRE THAT WATER WILL NOT QUENCH



Only those who have experienced the awful itching and burning of Eczema can know how it feels to be consumed by the blistering, fiery acids oozing out through the pores of the skin. There is no other skin disease that compares in severity with Eczema. It begins as a mere redness of the skin, or comes in little watery blisters and pimples, discharging a thin sticky fluid which hardens into scabs and scales, leaving a raw and inflamed surface as they peel off, while the itching is almost intolerable. Eczema is the most vicious and violent of all skin diseases, appearing in many different forms; the dry and scaly kind with brownish white crusts, which gives the skin a rough, leathery appearance, and producing sometimes painful fissures and sores. In other cases the skin has a ~~grahlen~~, moist appearance, with occasional profuse discharges of watery matter. But all the varieties and types of this aggravating disease are akin and are caused by impure blood and an over-acid condition of this vital fluid that seems to set the skin on fire, kindling a flame that water will not quench, and an itching, stinging eruption that lotions, soaps, salves and powders cannot suppress. As the poisonous acids in the blood increase the eruption spreads and becomes more angry looking, and the itching and burning more unbearable. Eczema is the commonest of all skin diseases, and the most aggravating and treacherous, disappearing at times, then returning suddenly and in a severer form than ever. It is particularly bad in warm weather, because at this season the skin is reacting and the blood is making extra effort to throw off the morbid secretions and acid impurities that have been accumulating during the long winter months, and there is an overflow of the acrid matter and acid poison through the pores, producing irritation and redness of the skin and all the terrors of Eczema. Soothing applications are beneficial and advisable, but not curative, because the seat of the disease is in the blood, and external or surface treatment cannot change bad blood into good blood or purge the system of impurities. Only a blood purifier can do this, and while treating the skin the blood must be looked after or the disease is sure to return when the blood is again overcharged with acids.

Dear Sirs:—In the summer of 1898 I was attacked with a breaking out, which doctors said was Eczema. It commenced on the inside of my arms and gradually spread. The doctors who examined me said they could cure it, and treated me for some time, but it grew worse all the while. I then wrote you, and upon receipt of a reply to my letter, I got six bottles of S. S. S. and began taking it according to directions.

I had used four and a half bottles before seeing any effect at all; then the Eczema seemed to get a great deal worse, but I kept on taking the medicine, and in three or four days the eruption commenced to shed off. I could rub it off like bran, and this was the end of the Eczema. I took in all nine bottles, and never spent that much money for anything that did me so much good. Have felt better in every way since. I am 68 years old, and was so stiff that I could hardly walk and was compelled to quit work, but since taking S. S. S. have been on the go all the time.

Very truly,
J. G. McNAIR.

S. S. S. to purify and cleanse the blood, and some non-irritating, soothing salve or lotion, is the proper treatment for all forms of Eczema. S. S. S. has made some remarkable cures of this stubborn skin disease—cases that had become chronic from long neglect or wrong treatment. S. S. S. is the only guaranteed strictly vegetable blood remedy. It is without a single mineral ingredient, but of medicinal roots that come from the fields and forests or Nature's store-houses. S. S. S. combines purifying and tonic properties that enter into the circulation and destroy the impurities, and at the same time tone up the general system. Skin diseases are, after all, only symptoms of impure and vitiated blood and external signs of disordered systems, and when you cure the blood the eruptions disappear.

If you have Eczema or any blood disease, sore or eruption, write us and our physician will gladly advise you and furnish any information desired without cost to you. Book on the Skin and its Diseases free.

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THE ELKS WILL NOT BUILD THIS YEAR

It is Hoped to be Ready by Early
Next Spring, However.

The Building Committee Has Adopted
a Report to Be Submitted to
the Lodge.

TO ADVERTISE FOR PLANS

The Elks in Paducah will probably
not build this year. So much time has
already been consumed in reaching
some definite conclusion that there is
now little prospect of anything to-
wards active building being done be-
fore next spring. The desire now
seems to be to get everything ready
for breaking ground early next spring.

There has been some difference of
opinion relative to the advisability of
building this year, and after consider-
able delay the members of the com-
mittee held a meeting yesterday after-
noon at the City National bank and
agreed on a report which is to be sub-
mitted to the lodge tomorrow night
and acted on.

The report specifies that the com-
mittee shall advertise in some archi-
tectural journal and in the Paducah
papers for plans and specifications and
that ninety day be allowed in which
to bring in a report. The building
will be five stories high, and is not to
cost over \$50,000.

The plans will then be selected and
the architect chosen by the entire
lodge. If the report presented to-
morrow night is agreed on.

But whether or not it is concurred in, it seems to be the general opinion of members that nothing towards
building will be done this year, as the
preliminaries would require too much
time.

The present intention is to have the
committee proceed to secure an archi-
tect and plans and make all other
necessary preparations and have every-
thing ready to begin work next
spring.

The Elks are very enthusiastic over
their new building, and while some
are disappointed over the prospect of
doing nothing towards erecting it this
year, they look forward to the work
next year with pleasurable anticipa-
tion.

ANNUAL ELECTION

KNIGHTS TEMPLAR CHOSE
OFFICERS LAST EVENING.

Paducah Commandery No. 11, Knights Templar, last night held the annual election of officers, and the following were chosen: L. O. Walker, eminent commander; W. H. Coleman, generalissime; William Hills, captain general; R. J. Barber, prelate; Harry Hank, senior warden; Clarence O. Brown, junior warden; John Oehlschlaeger, treasurer; Charles Holliday, recorder; George W. L. Gates, standard bearer; Clarence Milam, sword bearer; Fred Acker, warden, and George Ingram, sentinel.

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paraphernalia and balcony with a choir
loft. The change will not cost over
\$750, it is thought.

MASHED BY IRON

PAINFUL ACCIDENT TO MR.
HARRY JUDD'S LITTLE SON.

Laurie Judd, the three year old son
of Mr. Harry Judd, the well known
I. C. pattern maker, dropped a five
pound smoothing iron on his left foot
yesterday and mashed the member
badly. The iron was on the stove and
the little fellow while trying to get
it off, let it fall. Fortunately the
full weight of the iron did not strike
the foot.

BURIAL AT OAKLAND.

The funeral of the late Mr. Andy
J. Skillian, who died suddenly night
before last, took place today at 9
o'clock, burial at Oakland cemetery.

GROVE'S TASTELESS CHILL TONIC
Has stood the test Twenty-five years. The
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KENTUCKY WOMEN

Represented in American Beauty
Book.

Five Fair Louisvillians and Two Lex-
ington Beauties Will Grace Its
Pages.

Louisville takes a conspicuous
position among the eleven principal
cities of the United States represented
in the new "American Book of
Beauty," which is just ready to issue
from the presses of R. H. Russell, by
whom it has been prepared for Harper
& Bros.

The American Book of Beauty is
gotten out to enshrine for all time the
perfection of form and figure, the
grace of feature and contour, of
eighty-seven American women, sup-
posed to be the most perfect types of
American loveliness. Among them
are five Louisville women—Mrs. C.
W. Hargens, of Hot Springs, Ark.,
who was Miss P. Carley; Mrs. Oliver
Harriman, of New York, who was
Miss Grace Carley; Mrs. John C.
Hone, of Versailles, who was until
recently Miss Alice Castleman, daugh-
ter of Gen. John B. Castleman; Mrs.
Edward R. Thomas, of New York,
formerly Miss Linda Lee, and Mrs.
Samuel Sloan Chauncey, who was Miss
Alice Carr.

Mrs. Charles Lesher, of Lexington,
Ky., who was Miss Daisy Stiles, is
another fair Kentuckian who ranks
among the eighty-seven beauties.
Mrs. John Allen, of Lexington, who
was Miss Eliza Duncan, daughter of
former Mayor Duncan, occupies a
prominent position. Mrs. Henry
Clews, of New York, was another
Kentucky girl, Miss Lucy Worthington.

Strange to say, not one of Louis-
ville's representatives in the beauty
book now lives in this city. To
show that Louisville is well to the
front, however, it need only be said
that fifty-four of the beauties enshrin-
ed in the new publication are New
York women, while the other cities
rank as follows: Boston, two; Balti-
more, two; Albany, one; Wash-
ington, four; Colorado, two; Philadel-
phia, eight; Chicago, three; Louis-
ville, five; Virginia, four; Georgia,
one.

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Three editions of the book are
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cloth, or popular edition which will
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who aspire to make a study of the
grandes dames du haut monde, is pur-
chased at the small price of \$45.

It is a notable feature of the work
that the multi-millionaire families of
the East are represented en masse.
The Astors, Burdens, Vanderbilts,
Brookses and others have their faces
in the gallery.

PROMOTER HERE.

MR. JOHN W. MOORE, OF THE
MUNDY COMPANY, ARRIVES
IN THE CITY.

At last the carnival promoter is in
the city. He arrived today from the
Mundy company, and his name is Mr.
John W. Moore. Mr. Moore is an
affable gentleman, who appears to be
thoroughly on to his job, and he will
remain here until after the carnival.
Mr. J. J. Conley will probably be
here some time before the carnival,
but the exact time has not been decid-
ed on. The first thing that Mr. Moore
will attempt to do will be to straighten
out the advertisement matter, the
paper sent to Paducah not having
arrived. He will then assist in billing
the surrounding country.

Williamsport, Pa. — Rev. Victor
Farak, rector of the Polish Catholic
church at Snowshoe, was arrested,
charged with having caused the death
of Andrew Soako, a 16 year old boy,
by beating him with a club because
it is alleged, the boy refused to attend
church.

CIRCUS FOLKS

LISTEN TO GOSPEL

Barnum and Bailey Aggregation
Hold Church Services.

The Show Carries a Regular Chaplain
with it and All the Freaks
Attend.

A NOVELTY IN THE CIRCUS LINE

New York, April 27—Barnum &
Bailey's circus folk had the gospel
preached to them each Sunday of
their long New York season. The
great auditorium of Madison Square
Garden was wrapped in Sabbath still-
ness, but in the room where, during
the week, the breaks held sway, the
congregation listened to an address by
the Rev. W. H. Sheak, chaplain of
the show.

The clown was there without his
paint and grotesque costume and grave
decorum replaced the leers and antics
which commanded him to week-day
audiences. No one except his fellow
performers knew that he was of the
circus. The three Russian dancers sat
sedately attentive.

Front chairs were the midgets,
having the appearance of animated
dolls. Behind them sat the bearded
lady, who sought to conceal her ample
flowing beard by fastening her long,
light coat over it and turning up her
collar until it almost met the droop of
her black hat, with its pendant white
feather.

Sitting beside her was the "missing
link," who was afflicted with a cold.
The lion-faced boy, in a back seat,
looked like a dog dressed up for the
occasion. Next to him was the eight
foot giant, towering above the others
so that they looked like pygmies.

The chaplain stood on a platform
gaily decorated with red and gold tap-
estries. After reading a chapter from
the Bible, he prayed that all before
him might be inspired to lead a higher
life, and that no accident might occur
in the circus throughout the season,
and that there might be no suffering
from storm or railroad disaster.

"I heard two gentlemen in the
menagerie last week discussing religion,"
said Mr. Sheak, in the course of his
sermon. "One, who occupies a high
position in this circus, said he did not
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replied that if there was no hell,
there could be no heaven—and that is
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EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE WILL
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THIS EVENING.

The executive committee of the
carnival association will hold another
meeting this evening, and it is ex-
pected that the ticket takers and
spielers will be appointed by Mr. H.
G. Johnston, chief ticket taker, and
Mr. Ben Weile, chief spiller.

A tracer has been sent out for the
advertising matter which has been on
the road for the past fourteen days,
and it will be sent out as soon as it
arrives.

Subscribe for The Sun

THE NEW BRIDGE

I. C. SURVEYORS AT WORK AT
TENNESSEE RIVER.

The Illinois Central has a corps of
surveyors at work at Tennessee river
preparing for the big bridge that is
to be built a mile south of the present
bridge at Gilbertsville. The change
in route is to be made in order to
straighten out the track. The river
is being sounded and the stakes for
the new track are being laid. Work
will begin as soon as possible.

Supt. Egan, of the Louisville divi-
sion, stated last night when in the city
that about fourteen miles of the Cairo
extension have been ballasted, and the
work will be finished in time for the
World's Fair traffic.

He also said that the new transfer
boat De Koven will arrive next week
from Evansville.

GOING DOWN THE PIKE.

St. Louis, April 27—According to
the department of concessions of the
world's fair it will cost \$20 for the
total admissions to all the attractions
on "The Pike." The total cost of the
Chicago midway was \$35.

Evansville, Ind.—At Rono, a vil-
lage in Perry county, Ind., C. W.
Morrison, a farmer killed T. O.
Conkey, a fisherman with a double-
barreled gun. Morrison and Conkey
had been enemies for a long time.



"As mad as
a wet hen" 3

Is every man's allowance when his laun-
dry work doesn't please him. The same
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Are you shocked at the idea of local examinations?
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and have cured themselves at home, of such troubles as periodical, bearing down and
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dency, caused by female weakness.

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Wine of Cardui does not irritate the organs. There is no pain in the treatment.

No cause for a knife. It is a soothing tonic of healing herbs, free from strong, and

drastic drugs. It is successful because it cures in a natural way.

Wine of Cardui can be bought from your druggist at \$1.00 a bottle and you
can begin this treatment today. Will you try it?

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March 1	2431	March 18	2427
March 2	2432	March 19	2427
March 3	2432	March 21	2440
March 4	2446	March 22	2432
March 5	2441	March 23	2548
March 6	2436	March 24	2556
March 7	2437	March 25	2483
March 8	2553	March 26	2488
March 9	2596	March 28	2475
March 10	2588	March 29	2473
March 11	2447	March 30	2476
March 12	2420	March 31	2490
March 13	2422		
March 14	2426		
March average	2472		
Feburary average	2415		

Personally appeared before me this day E. J. Paxton, general manager of The Sun, who affirms that the above statement of the circulation of The Sun for the month of March, 1904, is true to the best of his knowledge and belief.

PETER PURYEAR,
Notary Public.

My commission expires Jan. 22, 1905.
March 31, 1904.

DAILY THOUGHT.

"For everything you have missed you have gained something else."

THE WEATHER.

Partly cloudy tonight and Thursday. Rain in extreme eastern portion tonight.

MODERN REFORMERS.

Apropos the prosperous hit Aunt Carrie Nation has made with a Chicago dime museum management at \$300 per week, the Washington Post takes occasion to moralize on one of the greatest grafts of modern times—reform, or so-called reform. Reform as exemplified by Mrs. Nation, Elijah Dowie, Sam Jones, and others.

Says the Post:

"We have seen and studied many reformers in our time—busybodies who sought our rescue from this or that dissipation; evangelists who sought to convert us to this or that superior, if chilly, creed—but we have yet to find a single one whose enthusiasm has not a personally profitable end in steady view. High and low, clean and dirty, well bred and vulgar, offensive and engaging, they all seek something for themselves. It may be the pride of the doctrinaire or the greed of the grafter—but in every case the inspiration is a devouring thirst for interference in other people's business and the fixed purpose to derive from a success either the abstract glory of domination or the concrete comfort of cold cash. Professional busy bodies have different methods and ambitions, but they harmonize completely in respect of seeking to rule others and feed their own consuming vanities."

The Post might have added that despite Mrs. Nation, et al., as they say in law, there seems to be just as much drinking, smoking, crime and general cussedness as before—and quite as many of those benevolent beings who are said to be so easily parted from their money.

The next recommendation the insurance companies will probably make in Paducah is that an inspector of electric wires be appointed. The local insurance commissioner has complained that the wiring is bad, and the importance of pleasing the companies is indelibly impressed on the mind of every man when he takes out his policy and sadly contemplates that "pink slip." Louisville is preparing to pay a man \$1,800 a year to inspect electric wiring, and the chairman of the board of public safety is quoted as saying in support of the move: "We are satisfied that many of the most disastrous fires in this and other cities

have been caused by defective wires. Chief Tyson believes that an inspection of these wires will obviate many of the dangers from this source."

Those who attend the world's fair are to hear "union" music, after all. Bandmaster Weil was fired from the union for some cause or other, and threatened to get "scab" music. Doubtless a great many do not know what "scab" music is, but according to those who manufacture the union label article it is something fierce. So by getting home talent and paying a small fine of \$1,000, Bandmaster Weil is to be taken back into the union, and all will be lovely. He may not be the proper sort to be a member, but if he coughs up the 1,000 simoleons and employs only the horn tootlers of the Future Great, he will become eligible.

Several members of the house object to the completion of a number of our battleships on the ground that their type may be regarded as obsolete after the war in the far east is over. The alleged fighting in the far east, however, can hardly be taken as a standard, judging from the samples we have had thus far. If Uncle Sam had been in the game somebody would have been licked long ago.

Senators Blackburn and McCreery are coming to Kentucky soon, according to a Washington dispatch, to break up the Beckham machine and put Kehoe in as state chairman. We shall see. If these two Titanic statesmen break up that officeholders' trust, they will do more than all the R-pubicans and a whole lot of Democrats of Kentucky succeeded in doing. However, "here's hoping."

Bourke Cochran's service to the Republican party is not yet over. His recent free trade speech in the house is to be used by the Republicans as campaign material, showing up the true intentions of Democracy. And the best part of it is that Bourke says his service to the Republican party has always been without money and without price.

A Texas man, formerly of Graves county, has been to Chicago taking treatment to keep off hydrophobia. He spent several weeks there and thinks he is cured. He could have come to Paducah and had Capt. Fowler's mad stone tied to him and saved a lot of money as well as been benefited just as much.

A citizen who will get caught for half the cost of street paving on about half a dozen different streets oughtn't to kick. If he doesn't want to pay for street improvements he oughtn't to own so much property. He can find plenty of people willing to take his property off his hands and pay the street assessments.

A German engineer has invented an arrangement by which people can board a moving express train going 60 miles an hour. What we need most, however, is something by which people can get off a street car without its stopping, which a good many try to do most every day, to their lasting sorrow.

It is now reported that the Hearst boom in Kentucky is on its last legs. Perchance the ambitious young millionaire hasn't been "coming across" often enough to suit the boys. There is yet hope, however. The Mayfield Messenger is still pegging away for him.

Most of the Democrats praise Lincoln and many of them laud McKinley, but they have to go back a century to Jefferson's administration to find one of their own party on whom they can all bestow their approbation truthfully declares the Globe-Democrat.

Senators McCreery and Blackburn are trying to kill the army site bill in hope of gaining time and aiding West Point, Ky., in securing recognition. These Democrats never kick on delay when it helps them in their own schemes.

President Loubet's cordial welcome to Italy was embellished by a few attempts to assassinate and several punctured plots of anarchists. Doubtless these big men are not oblivious to the attention they attract when they go visiting.

Mayfield had a mad dog scare yesterday. A dog was running about frothing at the mouth, but he was probably only looking for a drink. Mayfield is such a dry town, you know.

The Chicago police are being instructed in the art of being able to tell a "plain drunk" from a victim of drugs or apoplexy. Chicago whiskey

must have a very unpleasant effect.

The czar has decreed that it shall be war to the end. Judging from the slow beginning, his posterity will celebrate the termination.

The czar is said to be very ill, but his sickness is not as dangerous as being on one of his own warships.

Tom Watson, of Georgia, admits he is not a Democrat. It is now up to Mr. Bryan.

CROP REPORT

COLD WEATHER RETARDS FARMING PROGRESSING FAIRLY WELL

The following is the weekly crop bulletin:

Very cold weather prevailed until Friday, when the temperature rose rapidly and continued high during the remainder of the week. From two to five inches of snow fell in the western and southern portions of the state on the 20th, and this was followed by severe freezing weather in that part of the state. The week closed with a warm rain in progress, which will be very beneficial.

Wheat looks bad and has turned yellow in some localities, due to the cold weather.

Considerable corn has been planted and land is generally prepared for the seed.

Tobacco plants are small and late and in some localities, where not properly protected, have been greatly injured by freezing.

Oats, rye and grass have made slow growth and look bad.

Gardens have made no advancement and early potatoes are coming up badly.

Fruit has been severely injured by freezing weather. In the south central and western portions of the state the peaches and cherries appear to be about ruined and early apples badly injured. In the north central and northeastern counties the outlook is somewhat more favorable.

Farms work is progressing fairly well.

DEEDS.

Miss Bettie Smith deeds to J. D. Smith power of attorney.

Peter Schoeing bought from Lloyd Harrison for \$600, land in the county.

W. E. Norton deeds to Nannie Hedges for \$334, property on South Sixth.

M. T. Harrison purchased from Mike Steel for \$350, property on the east side of Gross creek.

E. W. Vaughan and others sold to Sancha Folz and others for \$10,100 property at Fourth and Jefferson streets.

The Suburban Realty Co. deeds to A. A. Adkins, for \$850, property in the Suburban Realty Co. addition to the city.

Property on the west side of North Sixth between Harrison and Clay streets sold by John Yancey for \$1,000 to Edward L. Yancey.

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ANOTHER ASSA.

SINATION STORY.

Madrid, April 27.—Premier Mauna, who arrived here yesterday, was shot at, but was not wounded, while on his way here from the Balearic Islands. When between Alicante and Encina a bullet whizzed through the roof of his car. The incident created great alarm, but no one was injured.

Dr. John Bonds and Mr. Fred Roth will leave Sunday for several days' business trip to Cincinnati and Louisville.

We can fit you out

If you have to make a present. The latest fad is Japanese and Oriental Perfumes and Novelties. We have just received a large assortment from the celebrated importers, A. A. Vantine & Co. See our window and drop in and get a free sample of Japanese Perfume.

W. B. M'PHERSON

NO NEW DEPOT WILL BE BUILT

I. C. Officials and Mayfield Reach Amicable Agreement.

The Present Depot to Be Repaired—

Man Arrested at Wickliffe for Theft.

AND OTHER STATE NEWS

Mayfield, Ky. April 27.—The Illinois Central will not build a new depot here, but will make satisfactory changes and improvements on the old one. At the meeting yesterday of I. C. officials and members of the council, the following were present: W. J. Harahan, assistant general manager; H. U. Wallace, chief engineer; A. S. Baldwin, engineer of construction; R. H. Fowler, traveling passenger agent; C. O. McChord, chairman of the state railroad commission and MacD. Ferguson, railroad commissioner.

It was decided that the present depot would remain. An east room will be erected for the white women and three water closets placed in the building. Drinking water apartments will be added. It was decided that the company, besides building an extra waiting room 20x20 feet, will lay a sewer on the railroad property so as to connect with the one that the city will make and contribute \$100 for the work of laying the new sewer to connect with the one near the Presbyterian church.

ARREST AT WICKLIFFE.

Wickliffe, Ky., April 27.—O. M. Bridges, formerly of this city, and who recently returned here, was arrested under a state warrant and by order of the chief of police of Obion, Tenn. The charge is the theft of \$310 some days ago. Another man is said to be involved in the transaction and it is reported that he has been arrested and is held at Obion.

Bridges denied any connection with the affair, but he was found to have \$75 in currency in his possession, which corresponded in part to the bills stolen.

Bridges is an undertaker by trade and was formerly in the employ of Mike Steel for \$350, property on the Wickliffe Supply company.

BITTEN BY MAD DOG.

Mayfield, Ky., April 27.—John R. Morgan, of Austin, Texas, is here visiting friends. He is a native of Farmington, Graves county, and has just been to Chicago where he took the Pasteur hydrophobia treatment for three weeks. He was bitten about a month ago in Texas by a supposed mad dog and feels satisfied now he is cured.

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HERE IS AN OPPORTUNITY

Beginning with the first week in April a new fifty coupon three year bond was placed on the market by the

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If you will make application for one of these bonds BEFORE APRIL 23 it will be issued to you as of the first week.

As little as \$2.50 a week may be invested.

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Miss Augusta List 58

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Miss Jessie Byrd 296,797

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William Lawrence 160,742

Miss Lizzie Singleton 10,339

Miss Mabel Roberts 368

Miss Ellen Willis 329

Miss Ada Brazelton 169

Prof. A. M. Rouse 111

Miss Etta Ware 200

W. B. Mason 55

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NO AGREEMENT REACHED.

Central City, Ky., April 27—The miners and operators' convention adjourned yesterday further apart than ever. The operators submitted three propositions. First cut 4 1/2 per cent in wages; second, submit to arbitration everything but wage scale; third, submit everything to arbitration but eight hour day proposition. Unless the miners accept one of these by May 15 a strike follows.

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VAST EXPANSE.

ANTARCTIC CONTINENT NO DOUBT EXISTS.

That a vast Antarctic continent exists, perhaps twice as large as that of Europe, would seem to be proved by the reports now appearing of recent explorations in that region. The American Commander Wilkes, returning from the far South in 1841, asserted the existence of a vast south polar continent, and described his voyage of 1,500 miles in sight of the coast. Ross, however, returning soon after, discredited Wilkes' conclusions, saying that the land seen by Wilkes was merely a great wall of ice. The world has been in doubt which to believe.

That Ross was wrong and Wilkes right is very evident from the report of Capt. Scott, of the British Antarctic expedition of 1901-04. Captain Scott shows that the mass of ice seen by Ross is, in reality, an extensive glacier resting on land and covering the land like the ice cap of Greenland. The glacier is about 700 miles wide and reaches the sea through a plain lying between Victoria Land and Edward VII Land. The German expedition under Von Drygalski working 80 degrees of longitude farthest west, also found a somewhat similar expanse of ice-capped land, whose limits they were unable to trace, but which is apparently a part of some Antarctic continent.—National Geographic magazine.

MEETS TONIGHT

HOSPITAL COMMITTEE TO TRY AND DECIDE ON A SITE AND AN ARCHITECT.

A meeting of the hospital committee selected to decide on a site and architect for the new city hospital, will meet this evening in Dr. Frank Boyd's office. The doctors on it are Drs. Boyd, and Reddick and Councilman Ingram and Alderman Smith are the members of the general council.

It is expected this evening to decide on the architect to draw the plans, and on the site for the institution. There are several sites under consideration.

STRANGE MARRIAGE.

Copenhagen, April 27—A young couple with too advanced ideas to believe in either marriage by church or by state have just announced their marriage in a leading paper of this city in the following words:

"This is to notify that we, the undersigned, have contracted an alliance of friendship and matrimony in free form and without the registrar.

"For those of our friends who esteem and respect us this, our self-willed decision, will be sufficient.

"We are convinced that matrimonial bliss is based not only upon legal force but upon mutual love and esteem. We gladly resign further acquaintance with those who can not discover personal value outside the law."

The announcement is signed Augusta Groenwall and Heinrich Lauer, and it is added that Mrs. Augusta Groenwall will in the future sign Mrs. Augusta Groenwall-Lauer.

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The "Chicago and Florida Special" a superb train composed of through Pullman Drawing Room sleepers, composite car and dining car, leaves Cincinnati every evening except Sunday, via the Queen & Crescent Route. A handsome observation sleeper leaving Louisville at 7:25 p. m., is attached to the "Special" at Lexington and this train then runs through solid via Southern railway from Chattanooga to Jacksonville and St. Augustine, arriving at 9:30 p. m. and 10:35 p. m., respectively the next evening, making connection at Jacksonville for interior Florida points.

The "Florida Limited" leaves Cincinnati every morning the year around via the Queen & Crescent Route connecting at Lexington with the Southern railway trains from Louisville. This train also runs through solid to Jacksonville and St. Augustine via Southern Railway from Chattanooga carrying sleeping cars, observation and dining car, arriving at 9:45 a. m., and 11:15 a. m., respectively.

The Q. & C. "Special" leaving Cincinnati every evening carries Pullman sleeper through to Jacksonville via Southern railway from Harriman Jet. through Asheville, the "Land of the Sky" and Savannah. This train also connects at Lexington with train from Louisville.

There is of course corresponding fine service via each of these routes on the return trip. Either of the following booklets will be sent on receipt of two cent stamp "Land of the Sky," "Winter Homes, containing hotel list, "Hunting and Fishing in the South," containing game laws, Cuba folder, etc.

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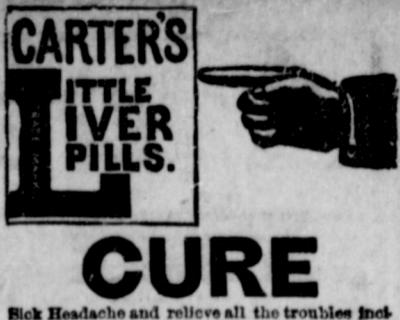
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LOW RATES TO CALIFORNIA.

On account of the general conference of the Methodist Episcopal church at Los Angeles, Cal., commencing May 3, 1904, and the National Association of Retail Grocers of the United States at San Francisco commencing May 3, 1904, the Illinois Central Railroad Co. will sell tickets to either San Francisco or Los Angeles, from April 22 to May 1, inclusive for \$49.65 for the round trip from Paducah, limited to return until June 30, 1904.

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Paducah, Ky., April 18, 1904.

The Filigree Ball

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FROM THE POPE

THE HOLY FATHER ADVOCATES BETTER TREATMENT FOR THE NEGRO.

Topeka, Kan., April 27.—Nick Chiles, editor of the Topeka Plain-dealer, a negro paper published in this city, received a letter from Pope Pius X. The western negro press association, of which Chiles is president, at its annual meeting adopted a resolution urging the Pope to use his good offices for a better treatment of the negro race in this country. The letter from the Pope, which came through Cardinal Gibbons, says, in part:

The sovereign pontiff is well aware that there are many Catholics among the negroes of the United States, and this knowledge increases his interest in the welfare of your race. His Holiness, as the vicar of Christ, extends his loving care to every race, without exception, and he must necessarily use his good offices to urge all Catholics to befriend the negroes, who are called, no less than other men, to share in all the great benefits of redemption. The life and example of St. Peter Claver and of so many other Catholic missionaries are there to show that this is no new conception of the apostolate intrusted to the church of Christ. Whilst frankly admitting that crimes may often be committed by members of the negro race, his holiness advocates for them the justice granted to other men by the laws of the land, and a treatment in keeping with the tenets of Christianity. I am confident that those sentiments are shared by the vast majority of the great American people and by those who are responsible for the custody of the principles underlying the American constitution.

The detective visits Uncle David



So much for one oddity which may stand as a sample of many others.

One glance at the room into which he ushered me showed why he cherished so marked a dislike for visitors. It was bare to the point of discomfort, and had it not been for a certain quaintness in the shape of the few articles to be seen there I should have experienced a decided feeling of repulsion, so pronounced was the contrast between this poverty stricken interior and the polished bearing of its owner. He, I am sure, could have shown no more elevated manners if he had been doing the honors of a palace. The organ, with the marks of home construction upon it, was the only object visible which spoke of luxury or even

But enough of these possibly uninteresting details. I did not dwell on them myself except in a vague way and while waiting for him to open the conversation. This he did as soon as he saw that I had no intention of speaking first.

"And did you find any one in the old house?" he asked.

Keeping him well under my eye, I replied with intentional brusqueness: "She has gone there once too often."

The stare he gave me was that of an actor who feels that some expression of surprise is expected from him.

"She?" he repeated. "Whom can you possibly mean by she?"

The surprise I expressed at this bold attempt at ingenuousness was better simulated than his, I hope.

"You don't know?" I exclaimed. "Can you live directly opposite a place of such remarkable associations and not interest yourself in who goes in and out of its deserted doors?"

"I don't sit in my front window," he pensive returned.

I let my eye roamed toward a chair standing suspiciously near the very window he had designated.

"But you saw the light?" I suggested.

"I saw that from the doorstep when I went out to give Rudge his usual five minutes' breathing spell on the stoop. But you have not answered my question—whom do you mean by she?"

"Veronica Jeffrey," I replied. "She who was Veronica Moore. She has visited this haunted house of hers for the last time."

"Last time?" Either he could not or would not understand me.

"What has happened to my niece?" he cried, rising with an energy that dispensed the great dog and sent him, with hanging head and trailing tail, to his own special sleeping place under the table. "Has she run upon a ghost in those dismal apartments? You interest me greatly. I did not think she would ever have the pluck to visit this house again after what happened at her wedding."

"She has had the pluck," I assured him, "and, what is more, she has had enough of it not only to re-enter the house, but to re-enter it alone. At least, such is the present inference. Had you been blessed with more curiosity and

Uncle David hears of his niece's death



made more frequent use of the chair so conveniently placed for viewing the opposite house, you might have been in a position to correct this inference. It would help the police materially to know positively that she had no companion in her fatal visit."

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

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The population of Paducah, according to the new directory just issued by Mr. Fred B. Ashton, superintendent of carriers at the local post office, is 24,952. The number of names in the directory is 12,476, and the way the population is arrived at by statisticians is to use the multiple 2, although some use even three or four.

Mr. Ashton, who has worked hard on his directory for the past several months, has at last completed his labors, and is today delivering the books. Without doubt the new directory, which contains 412 pages, is the most complete and accurate ever issued in Paducah, and it is a credit to Mr. Ashton, who had excellent facilities for compiling it.

Mr. Ashton had been at work on the volume for quite a while, and took great pains with it. He compiled it at odd times, and is satisfied that the business men of the city will welcome it and be pleased to obtain a copy. It is the first directory gotten out in Paducah in several years, and is typographically attractive.

Mr. Ashton not only furnishes the directory, however, but as he estimates 250 people move every month and intend to keep posted on their movements, he will cheerfully give his patrons all the information he can in regard to changes in residence if they will telephone him.

The new directory not only contains the names and numbers of all residents of Paducah, but a complete list of all public and other buildings of the city, county, district and other officials, of corporations, time of holding courts, much miscellaneous information and something that is new and will be a great benefit to local merchants, a rural route directory, giving the names of all residents of rural routes in the county.

Mr. Ashton is to be congratulated on the neat appearance of his directory, and of its completeness.

COOPERAGE COMPANY

WILL BUILD AGAIN AS SOON AS LOSS IS ADJUSTED FRIDAY.

The adjustors who will settle the loss on the Paducah Cooperage Co., saw shed which burned several weeks ago will hold a meeting tomorrow or Friday night to determine the loss on the building.

The adjustors are several in number and one or two have already been here, but could not get together so the loss could be adjusted. As soon as the damage is known and adjusted the company will build again.

BASEBALL RESULTS.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.
Pittsburg-St. Louis postponed.
Chicago-Cincinnati, wet grounds.
Brooklyn 4, New York 2.
Boston 3, Philadelphia 1.

AMERICAN LEAGUE.
Rain at Cleveland. Rain at Washington.
Boston 2, Philadelphia 1.
St. Louis 6, Detroit 5.

MORE BATTLESHIPS

Washington, April 27—Representative Dayton, of West Virginia, announced after a conference with the president today that in spite of Senator Hale's remarks to the contrary, the administration favors battleships and the president will sign a bill providing for more.

Guthrie, Okla.—Lewis Patterson, aged 16, was killed near Weatherford by the accidental discharge of a shotgun.

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TERMS AGREED ON

Carpenters and Contractors Reach an Agreement Here.

Advance Is to Be Given, But Not What Was Originally Demanded.

A meeting of the carpenters' union was held last night at their hall on South Fourth street at which the demand for a new scale was settled. A delegation of building contractors was present by request, and it was agreed that beginning May 1 the carpenters receive a minimum scale of 31 1/4 cents per hour, with one and one half pay for overtime, and double pay for Sunday work.

The original demand was for an eight hour day and 35 cents per hour, which the contractors rejected, making a counter proposition. The two bodies had been considering the matter for the past several weeks and the agreement made last night eliminates the possibility of a strike.

The tanners' union has not yet received any answer to its demands for an eight hour day instead of a nine hour day.

A MANIAC NOW

SOME DISPOSITION TO BE MADE OF INSANE COLORED GIRL.

Lucy Carson, the negro girl who is being confined in the county jail for lunacy, will probably be taken to Hopkinsville immediately.

She was taken to Hopkinsville over a week ago and admittance refused her, the asylum being full. She was brought back and since confined in the jail here has been getting worse, and is now almost a raving maniac. Jailer Jones informed the authorities that something ought to be done and steps will be taken today to have her admitted to the asylum, whether it is full or not.

TO CALL PASTOR

VESTRY OF GRACE CHURCH MEETS THIS AFTERNOON.

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JUDGE SANDERS EXPLAINS THE LAW

Says a City Can Do Anything it Chooses With Animals.

One Man in Police Court Declares He Will Go to Jail Before He Pays Dog Tax.

TODAY'S COURT NEWS NOTES

Judge D. L. Sanders said in police court today that a city had a right to kill, sell, tax or otherwise dispose of dogs, cows, hogs, or anything else that was found violating city ordinances.

A city has a right, he claims, to do anything the lawmakers deem necessary to protect or promote the health, peace, comfort, happiness or welfare of the people in general. This gives municipal lawmakers a wide scope, and enables them to do anything from fining people for spitting on the streets or elsewhere, to selling or killing property belonging to a non-resident for taxes or violating the law.

The city could have killed the cows or horses caught running at large in violation of ordinance as easily as they kill dogs. The difference is that it is better and more profitable to sell the cows and horses, when they are not redeemed by their owners, while it would be impossible to sell the dogs.

There were many dog cases on the police court docket today. Judge Sanders is showing all the leniency possible, and fines the defendant's only when necessary.

Today, one citizen, white, who was fined \$5 yesterday and the judgment suspended until today, was in court and stated he hadn't paid taxes on his dog and didn't intend to. That he didn't believe a citizen could be made to, and he would go to jail first. Judge Sanders thinks if the gentleman will consult an attorney he will decide to pay the license. If he doesn't he will have to serve his fine on the streets like anyone else who fails to pay.

Van Hawkins was fined \$10 and costs for failing to pay dog license. His was the only fine assessed.

Many cases were left open and a number continued. Those who pay their tax are usually let off as most of them simply have not been able to pay. Several before the court today claimed they had had their dogs killed. One man said he sent his down to the river in a sack by his little boy and had it drowned.

One woman said she had sent her dog away but it always, like the cat, came back, but she would send it to the city hall "right away."

Another's husband was on the river and would be back Monday, when she will pay the tax. She was also released.

Judge Sanders said that the city had already collected about \$1,800 this year off dogs. The people, he declared, were entitled to protection from dogs, cows, horses and everything else, and those who have them must take the consequences. He would rather see every dog in the United States made away with, he said, than for one human being to be bitten and die from hydrophobia.

Years ago the city used to have a dog killer who went about shooting dogs, and he didn't care whose dog was shot, where it came from or how much it was worth. Once a country dog was shot and the owner sued the city, carrying the case to the court of appeals, which decided that the city had a right to shoot any dog running at large in the city, no matter where it came from. It was its owner's business to see that it didn't violate the law.

It is the same way with cows. These animals have no right running at large in Paducah after 9 a.m., and there are now two fine Jerseys in the pound which are to be sold Saturday for charges because their owners turned them loose and they were caught at large in violation of law.

Judge Sanders could fine every person warranted, for not having paid the dog license. Any person who owned a dog at the beginning of the year, when all licenses of whatever description fell due, are subject to a fine just the same as if they had violated any other law. A man who had a dog January 2, is liable for the tax if the officers wanted to make him so no matter if he has since disposed of the dog, just the same as a man with a house and lot is liable for taxes.

The assessment is made a certain day.

HOPTOWN NEXT

THE PADUCAH BOYS TO PLAY A SERIES BEGINNING TOMORROW.

This afternoon the K. I. T. team is at Wallace park practicing and will tomorrow meet the Hopkinsville college team in a match game to be followed by another Friday, Saturday the boys will go to Poplar Bluff, Mo., to play three games. After these games they will return home and play exhibition ball until the league opens. They are in good shape now and with the warmer weather will be able to play better ball.

The local fans are after the management to better the grounds. The local grounds are said to be in bad shape compared with other parks and at Evansville the boys found the park as smooth as an asphalt pavement.

Wallace, the big left fielder who played with Cairo last season in the K. I. T. league, will be barred from the professional baseball hereafter unless he is willing to pay a fine of \$300.

The board of directors of the Cairo association at a recent meeting decided to make an example of him and agreed on the fine. They will send Secretary Farrell their recommendations and will ask him to bulletin the fine. Wallace is reserved by Cairo and jumped this season to Vicksburg, Miss. Vicksburg offered to buy Wallace's release but the Cairo managers did not want to sell him. When a baseball player is fined so heavily he generally does not pay the fine and is thereby barred from professional ball. He may play independent ball, however.

Mr. Joe Wooldridge, of the city, has received a letter from Manager Jackson, of the Boston Bloomer Girl base ball team requesting him to meet the team at Kansas City, Mo., and play with it. Wooldridge is a fair pitcher and has seen some little professional experience. He will probably accept.

and if he sells his property the next day after the date of assessment, he is liable for the taxes just the same. The officers, however, are disposed to be lenient with everybody, and only want the license paid.

Judge Sanders fined Van Hawkins, colored, \$10 and costs this morning for keeping a dog without license. Hawkins' case was continued over from yesterday when he was given until today to surrender the dog, pay the license or be fined, and he accepted the latter.

During the examination of John Prince, white, who was arraigned on a dog license warrant, he asked Judge Sanders something about the law, insinuating that the judge did not know his business, which greatly angered his honor. He was promptly fined \$3 for contempt of court but the fine was afterwards remitted.

Frosty Morgan, white, was fined \$5 and costs for a breach of the peace.

Jeff Young was arraigned on two warrants for failing to pay dog license, and the case continued until tomorrow.

The case against Mart Hill for assaulting Charles King with an axe was left open.

WILL HOLD CALLED MEETING. Central Labor Union will hold a called meeting this evening, it is supposed for the purpose of reporting the settlement of the carpenters and builders differences.

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